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Ironton, Missouri,
THURSDAY - - - Nov. 26, 1914.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dry and dusty again.
The leaves are all gone.
Apples are being imported.
The gravel haulers are busy.
War pictures Thursday night.
No. 3 was two hours late Sunday.
The days are getting mighty short.
Santa Claus will soon be on the way.

The hunters have secured a few wild turkeys this fall.

Bark and Hobbs inaugurate a meeting at Piedmont next Sunday.

A big dinner and glorious Thanksgiving to every REGISTER reader!

Come and see our new stock of Chinaware. A. RIEKE & SON.

Fire on the hills the past week and the smoke, at times, has been annoying.

Quite a lot of turkeys and other fowls shipped to the city for Thanksgiving.

Recorder Hawkins has been apprised that some Thanksgiving marriage licenses will be wanted.

A mission is being conducted at St. Joseph's Chapel, Arcadia this week. Services every evening at 7:30.

The thermometer went down to 9 last Thursday night. Coldest November weather we've had in six years, Mr. Delano tells us.

J. F. Pense removed Monday to D. L. Spencer's farm, west of Chloride, and will try farming the coming year. We wish him well.

Mr. Durfee, the real estate man in Arcadia, recently sold F. B. Cole's farm, near Graniteville, to Geo. Gaab of St. Louis county.

Superintendent Burnham has issued programmes for a Teachers' Meeting to be held at Bellevue, Saturday afternoon, December 5th.

FOR RENT—For one year, the John Lots farm west of Ironton, 80 acres, in good condition. For terms see Edgar & Edgar, Ironton, Mo.

Notwithstanding there has been much stock shipped to St. Louis this fall there is said to be quite a lot still being held for better prices.

We had our first snow of the winter last Wednesday night and Thursday morning Mother Earth was covered with a mantle of white, but not for long.

Mr. August Rieke left Sunday for a sojourn at Hot Springs, Arkansas. Mr. Rieke has been suffering from rheumatism and hopes the baths will afford relief.

Rev. Father Wernert of Arcadia has been confined to his room for the past two weeks with rheumatism. We trust to hear of an early improvement in his condition.

W. A. Russell and family and Mrs. Minnie Evans, left Potosi Monday afternoon for Los Angeles, Cal., where they expect to remain for sometime.—Potosi Independent.

Mrs. Dr. Houston did not undergo a surgical operation in St. Louis last Wednesday as was expected. On the advice of her physician the operation was deferred for a while.

Married—At the Courthouse, Ironton, Mo., November 19th, 1914, Mr. John Siegenthorp and Miss Evelina Strickland, both of Monerey, Mo., Judge O. W. Roop officiating.

Wm. Henry Hartman, aged 53 years, a former resident of Graniteville, died at his home in St. Louis, November 18, 1914. A widow and thirteen children mourn his demise.

Alex Buckey and family, accompanied by Miss Vaughn, all of Ironton, motored to De Soto and spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Buckey's sister, Mrs. Ferd Schmitz, of this city.—De Soto Press.

Dr. Marshall reports the arrival of a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Schach, Ironton, Mo., Saturday, November 7, 1914. All are well. Louis says one boy is fine but two are immense.

The next election in the county will be that for County Superintendent to choose a successor to Mr. Burnham. The election will be held the first Tuesday in April next. Several possible candidates are mentioned.

Wm. Elisman, the Pilot Knob barber, was in the office last Friday with a pair of very fine ducks of his own raising. They were of the Holland White Crested breed and weighed 7 lbs. each. Bill says that as layers they can't be beat.

We had a pleasant call last Friday from Ferd L. Immer, who was here spending a couple days with his sister, Mrs. Harry B. Jones. Mr. Immer has been living in the south for a number of years, but is now going to Spokane, Washington, to engage in business.

Miss Jenna Logan, a music teacher, living at 3018 Shenandoah avenue, was thrown from her automobile yesterday afternoon at Kingshighway and McPherson avenue when it struck a trolley pole. She suffered bruises. The machine was damaged \$100.—St. Louis Republic.

D. Edgar Fletcher and Augustine Feary have purchased the 67 shares in the Bank of Ironton, formerly owned by the Bankers' Trust Company of St. Louis. This is the stock which it was reported a couple of months ago had been bought by the local stockholders of the bank.

A. V. Polak was in St. Louis last week being initiated into the mysteries of the Scottish rite degrees in Mas onry—along with Gov. Major, Mayor Kiel and other celebrities.

Circuit Court will convene in regular session next Monday. The docket of civil cases is rather long but the criminal docket is the shortest in many years, there being only three or four cases aside from parole cases. However court will be in session all week and probably longer.—Reynolds County Outlook.

The editor acknowledges the receipt of a card from Mrs. Lulu Heavin, of St. Louis, announcing the marriage of her sister, Lottia Ellen Pierce, and Mr. Oscar Bertram Hill, on Monday, November 16, 1914. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hill, formerly of Ironton. Old friends wish him long life and happiness.

Mrs. L. Richardson and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Chaudier and son, Ralph Blumel and Mrs. Earl McDaniel returned to Arcadia last Sunday, returning the same day. The trip was made without mishap and the parties report a very pleasant journey, notwithstanding the inclement weather of that day.—Bonne Terre News.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Patton contemplate an extended bridal tour in the East, on which they will start about the last of this week or the first of next if Mrs. Patton's health will permit. They will visit friends and points of interest in the East, and return and live at State Hospital No. 4, where the groom holds a position on the medical staff.—Farmington Times.

Wm. Gunnett, who lives five miles east of Ironton, has sold his farm to Joe Keleman, of Bellevue, Ill., who took possession last week. There are about eighty acres in the tract and it is well adapted to stock raising to which Mr. Keleman will devote his attention. Mr. Gunnett lived on the place for eleven years. He has gone to Fredericktown to live until he buys another farm.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold an Open Meeting and Silver Offering on December 6th, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the home of Mrs. C. F. Hanson. All the ladies interested in Missions are invited. Programme: Devotional, Mrs. Mitchell; Roll Call; Business; Talk on Mexico, Mrs. Feary; Music, Mrs. Damron; Christmas Prayer, Mrs. Francis.

The suit of Frank S. Klebar, former dairyman here, against the North American Fire Insurance Company is being tried in Mexico, Mo., this week. Klebar seeks to enforce the payment of an \$1800 insurance policy which the company had issued on his house and other property, east of town, which was destroyed by fire last December. J. P. Barger, R. L. Barger and Jos. Thompson are in Mexico as witnesses in the case.

Two game wardens accosted four of our successful citizen hunters, last Tuesday afternoon, on the five o'clock train from the east, the quartet having in their possession unmistakable evidence of the mission from which it was returning, and called upon them to produce their hunter's licenses. Not one of the four were able to do so. However, they convinced the wardens that they had paid the fee and had the licenses at home. The wardens let them off, but admonished them to have their licenses with them in future, as required by law.—Dunklin Democrat.

Frank Mangold, son of John Mangold, the wealthy lumberman of St. Louis, appeared before Justice J. L. Poymer this morning, in answer to a complaint filed by Eva Rideout, a girl under fifteen years of age, who alleges that the assault was committed in Poplar Bluff on November 2, 1914. The bond for appearance at the February term of the circuit court was fixed at \$1,000. The sureties are E. L. Abington and John Mangold. Young Mangold has had charge of his father's business interests in Harviell and both he and his father are well known in Poplar Bluff.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

A highly enjoyable and pleasing entertainment was that given at the Academy of Music Monday evening by the pupils of the High School, with the assistance of some of the grown-up folk, and under the direction of Miss Goodykoontz. The feature of the programme was a one act comedy, "Scenes in Union Depot" interspersed with songs, readings and other specialties. The rendition was most excellent and admirably well each one played his or her part. The dancing, we might say, was superb, and the more fantastic steps most heartily applauded. We congratulate each and every participant on the happy outcome of the evening.

All persons, firms and companies liable to Special Tax under Act of October 22, 1914, are required to make returns during the month of November; the new special taxes, under the above mentioned Act, being effective November 1st. The following are the subjects of Special taxes: Bankers, brokers, custom house brokers, billiards and pool tables, bowling alleys, commercial brokers, circuses, commission merchants, cigar manufacturers, dealers in leaf tobacco, dealers in cigars, tobacco, etc., tobacco manufacturers, pawn brokers, public exhibitions, theatres. There will be a penalty of fifty per cent in addition to the criminal liability if the required returns are not made prior to December 1st. Applications for Special Tax stamps may be made. Geo. H. Moore, Internal Revenue Collector for the First District of Missouri, St. Louis.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week: Chas. A. Johnson of Blackwell and Clara I. Rush of Mineral Point. John Siegetrauer and Evelina Strickland of Monterey.

Geo. Alcorn and Ida Lewis of Annapolis. Lawrence H. Bolles and Mary Molloy of Piedmont. Paul Williams and Bessie Yingling of Iron Mountain.

At 3:40 this afternoon the Missouri State Fish Commission car No. 3, on the rear of train No. 23, arrived in Poplar Bluff, filled with all kinds of fish that the sport lover likes to ensnare. The car, which is the same one that was here this spring, was in charge of J. P. Woods, president of the Missouri Fish Commission. Along with Mr. Woods was Phil Kopplin, superintendent of the St. Louis hatchery, where all the fish came from. They left St. Louis this morning and made stops at several places, where the various species were distributed. Six miles north of Poplar Bluff Black River was stocked with young bass, croppie, sunfish, catfish and perch to the extent of \$2,000. The greatest care is taken in putting the fish in the river, a long hose made especially for this purpose being used. These fish will not be large enough to catch if one obeys the law, for nearly two years. The car went from here to Doniphan, where the Current river will be replenished.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

Miss Irene Marshall, through her pupils, gave another Recital at her home last Sunday evening. Some two-score auditors were entertained from eight until ten o'clock by popular selections rendered by the pupils, suited to their various degrees of progress. As I sat and listened I could not but wonder at the patient training which, with intelligent method, is giving skill to untrained fingers and developing latent talent in the art divine. All the selections were pleasingly, if simply, given, calling forth frequent applause from an audience not wholly unknown to the entertainment of sweet sounds in harmony blended. The numbers sang by Mrs. Beatrice DeWeese gave us, as her efforts always do, especial pleasure, and Mr. Link's contributions to the programme rounded it out fittingly. He put everybody into such excellent temper that even the flute solo was listened to with patience and its conclusion hailed with good-natured applause. The recitations by the smaller folk added not a little to the occasion. It is unnecessary to refer Miss Irene's part in the entertainment or laud its perfection. In her is remarkable talent artistically cultivated, and her piano renderings are faultless. Following is the programme of the evening:

Charge of the Uhlans—Duet.....Misses E. and H. Rosentreter.
Hearts and Flowers.....Miss Elizabeth Rosentreter.
Playtime and The Owl and the Frog.....Miss Maurine Barnhouse.
Old Folks at Home and A Hammock Lullaby.....Miss Dorothy Reese.
Annie Laurie and Rolling the Hoop.....Miss Mildred Marshall.
Bells of Scotland and The Mocking Bird.....Miss Anna Farrar.
Recitation—An Old Fashioned Thanksgiving.....Miss Dorothy Reese.
Under the Mistletoe—Duet.....Misses E. and H. Rosentreter.
Melody of Love.....Miss Helen Rosentreter.
In May.....Miss Marion Farrar.
Come back to Erin and The Lorelei.....Miss Minnie Collins.
Melva Waltz.....Miss Anna Farrar.
Recitation—The Exchange.....Miss Helen Rosentreter.
Carnival of Venice.....Miss Maurine Barnhouse.
Simple Confession and Narcissus.....Miss Elizabeth Rosentreter.
Prayer to the Virgin.....Miss Helen Rosentreter.
Recitation—Uncle Peter's Thanksgiving Conscience.....Mr. George Link.
Delliah to Sampson—Saint-Saens.....Miss Irene Marshall.
A Spirit Flower and The Valley of Laughter.....Mrs. Beatrice De Weese.
Irish Melodies.....Miss Irene Marshall.
Piano and Flute—Robin Adair and Le Clair.....Miss Irene Marshall and Mr. E. D. Ake.

Warnings to Trespassers.

All hunters and others are hereby warned to not trespass upon my premises, day or night. Anyone disregarding this injunction will be prosecuted to the limit of the law.

J. H. LONG.

Bellevue, Mo., Nov. 26, 1914.

Some Special Bargains.

Some very Special Bargains in Ladies' Cloaks, Skirts and Tailored Suits.

During the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' Big Clearing Sales in St. Louis last week, we secured some very Unusual Values in the above lines.

We offer some splendid numbers in Ladies' Cloaks at \$4.00 and \$5.00 that are really worth a great deal more. Also, many finer ones at \$7.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

Special Bargain Lot of Skirts (24 in the lot), very latest and best styles. These, earlier in the season would sell from \$6.00 to \$8.00. We bought them so we can offer them at \$3.75.

Also a Special Bargain Lot of Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits, bought at, and sold by us, at one-third less than regular prices. If interested, a real bargain awaits you.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

NOTICE.

There is a billboard coming. Are you ready for it?

Now is the time to buy your stoves. The Celebrated WILSON HEATER and several other styles to select from at

MADIGAN'S.

House, Barn, Buggy and Auto Paint, Floor and Furniture Stains, Linoleum Coating, Turpentine and Lined Oil at A. Rieke & Son.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. Roehry is in St. Louis this week.

E. C. Sheahan of Graniteville was a caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann Ringo went to St. Louis Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Pruitt went to St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

W. R. Edgar, Jr., is attending circuit court at Lesterville.

Mrs. Woodside and Miss Jessamine were in St. Louis last week.

Otto Rosentreter is attending a business college in Quincy, Ill.

Mrs. W. F. Bond of Irontide visited her parents in Ironton the past week.

Mrs. M. A. Ake, of Natchitoches, Louisiana, is the guest of Ironton friends.

S. W. Andrews, Jr., and wife, of Charleston, Mo., are visiting relatives in the valley.

The REGISTER acknowledges a pleasant call by Mr. Ward Middleton, of Irontide, Mo.

Dr. R. W. Gay attended the Patton-Giesling wedding in Farmington Tuesday of last week.

Mr. C. P. Damron and family spent several days of last week with relatives in St. Louis.

A. S. Allan, of the Excelsior Granite Works, Graniteville, was a caller Wednesday morning.

Mr. B. S. Gregory and family arrived from St. Louis last Saturday and will spend some time here.

George C. Mockler, former Clerk of the City Council, St. Louis, and son, were Ironton visitors for a few hours last Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Johnson and son, Harry, left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Zude, of Staunton, Ill.

Miss Annie Katha returned to her home in Pilot Knob, Sunday, after an absence of a couple of weeks with relatives in St. Louis.

Chas. L. Fox, of Newport, Arkansas, and Geo. G. Fox and wife, of Jonesboro, Arkansas, arrived in Ironton Tuesday morning, called here by the serious illness of Mrs. L. M. Fox.

Revival Meeting at the Methodist Church, in Ironton.

Attention, Farmers!

Hon. W. D. McKee, representing the Missouri State Board of Agriculture, will conduct a Farmers Institute at the court house in Ironton, Monday, November 30th, and Tuesday, December 1st.

Meetings will be held in the afternoon and night of first day, beginning at 2:30 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock, respectively, and during the forenoon of the second day.

The afternoon of the second day will be given to the high school.

Farmers, these meetings are for you. Don't miss any of them.

The night meeting will be of interest to every one—business men, professional men and ladies, as well as farmers.

The public is invited to attend any of these sessions.

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Fort Hill Church.

The congregations continue to encourage the pastor, both in numbers and respectful attention.

The Sunday School gained two or three last Sunday. The interest is excellent, and the work is of a superior kind. Any one not attending Sunday School will get a hearty greeting from the superintendent and his officers as well as the pupils, if he will attend Fort Hill Sunday School.

Do not forget the Union Thanksgiving Service at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow. See program in last week's REGISTER. Rev. M. N. Powers will preach the sermon.

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The Lutheran Church.

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An English sermon will be preached.

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Des Arc Items.

I was through nine counties and called in twenty towns. Business was dull in the meat line on account of pork coming in but the merchants were doing well. There was quite a demand for clothing, underwear, shoes, stoves, etc., on account of the cold weather. Morris Bros., Farmington, report sales about \$280 a day and Saturday over \$500. They were shipping 50 coops of turkeys for Thanksgiving trade. Stevenson & Fitz, Lilbourn, report good sales. Over \$100 cash every day. I saw a merchant at Charleston. He says that one big plantation down in that county has 15,000 acres in wheat. Down in New Madrid County I saw field after field of cotton. It looked real pretty—white as snow and a large force picking, mostly negroes. They get the cash every night and make fair wages. One merchant at Bertrand said he had shipped 7 cars of corn. Corn is worth 60c.

Thanks to the Patrons and Friends of the Ironton Public Schools.

We wish to take the privilege, through the courtesy of the REGISTER, to thank the people of Ironton for their liberal support of the Ironton Schools and their disposition to help the schools as shown by their patronage of the play, "Scenes in Union Station." The total proceeds of the play was \$73.60. This is perhaps the largest sum ever received by the Public Schools of Ironton for any single entertainment. To our many friends and to the patrons of our schools we wish to express our sincere thanks.

RAYMOND SCHOOP, Sup't of Schools.

Durfee, at Arcadia, will sell your farm for you.

Try Cherry Chio. It's fine.—Adv.

You do not wish alum in your food

You desire to avoid it. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder contains no alum or lime phosphate. Its use is therefore a safeguard against objectionable mineral salts which are left in the biscuit and cake when made with inferior powders.

Chemists have shown that a large percentage of the chemicals of which alum baking powders are made remains in the food in the form of Glauber's Salt, hydrate of aluminum and other impurities.

Read the label on the can. Reject a baking powder unless the label shows cream of tartar. Buy and use

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I want to say this to the readers of the IRON COUNTY REGISTER and Piedmont Banner: You hear from Des Arc every week and it is a letter from home, but we never hear from you. So sometimes write a short article in these papers and tell us where you are, what you are doing, for you are near and dear to us and some of our own dear ones are sleeping on yonder hills.

We are still enjoying the results of the revival held here recently. R. I. Stamp, one of our business men, united with the Methodist church here Sunday, Rev. Myers administering baptism Sunday afternoon. His son, Harold, was also converted during the revival and joined the Methodist church. It makes our hearts rejoice to see our loved ones to become Christians. We have a new town now. Our churches are filled with new Christians. Section-men, merchants, business men, all living true Christians.

Judge L. L. Schmidt has a force of men putting in new machinery. He will manufacture all kinds of hickory handles. He will also make meal and feed of all kinds.

G. W. Wallis has just finished a new shingle roof on his hotel.

Mrs. Jerry Sparks and children, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Phillips, have returned to their home at Valley Park.

Mrs. Mae Wilson and baby, who have been visiting her parents, have returned to St. Louis.

Mrs. J. S. O'Neal from Poplar Bluff and sister, Mrs. Anna Miller, and children, were here last week to visit their father, O. C. Morris, and other relatives. Mrs. Miller and children left Friday for their home in Mission, Texas.

Marshal Stevenson from Taskee spent Sunday here.

Walter Lovelace, son of the late Lowery Lovelace, and Miss Ida Mason were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFall, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. Taylor from College Hill performing the ceremony. We wish them a happy voyage through life. They are both popular young people and have many friends here. They left here Sunday for Pevely, Mo., where they will reside.

Miss Lora Tolleson from Chloride spent Sunday here with her sister.

Ed. Hickman has returned to Granite City after a week's visit here with his mother.

Miss Maude Fitz went to Piedmont last week to have dental work done.

Massey Ruble and family were here Sunday from Piedmont.

The public school will have a Thanksgiving program. Let us all go out to hear the pupils recite. We will hear something good. ISAAC.

Annapolis News.

The weather has been extremely cold for a week and some snow; but clear and nice to-day.

Mrs. Clara Sullivan and Sarah J. Sullivan have returned to their homes near Arcadia.

P. C. Warnock has bought Henry Tucker's farm, known as the John Buckner farm, near Annapolis. Consideration, \$3800; it is a fine place and worth twice the money. Ben Funk will move to the place.

Sam Moss reports blacksmithing dull at Sabula but expects it to be better soon.

Ben Johnson was in Annapolis Saturday and was very much surprised to learn that there was a capias waiting for him in Iron county and says he will appear for trial at the next term of court.

Lots of bums along the railroad these days. But times will open up by spring and there will be work for all. Thousands of these tramps won't work at all.

Wm. Moss has moved to Sabula, where he is blacksmithing with his father, Sam Moss.

Geo. Alcorn was married to Drew Lewis' daughter Saturday afternoon, Rev. Joseph Alcorn officiating.

While Willie Harris and Ed Sutton, boys, were wrestling, Sutton fell and broke his leg.

Miller, our postmaster, is going to open a produce store.

The wheat looks fine.

There seems to be some dispute as to who was elected Constable of Union Township at the late election and a recount may be necessary to settle the matter. It was given up that Chas. Hampton was five votes ahead of A. L. Daniels; but another count put Daniels in the lead.

Several car loads of ties loaded out from here the past week.

Wm. Kitchell has a broken arm and doesn't know how it happened.

John W. Middleton of Heber Springs, Arkansas, was a visitor to see his mother and brother in Annapolis. He says times are good there.

Old man Geo. W. Brewer was in town early this morning. He is 80 years old and gets around pretty well.

Rev. Isaac Williams is lying at the point of death at his home near Minium.

Jesse Culton was in this morning and informs me that he has quit steamboating, and is now running the